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MEMORANDUM

TO : General Counsel

1 July 1952

THRU : Comptroller

FROM : Finance Division

SUBJECT: Temporary Lodging Allowance, [REDACTED]

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1. In a recent discussion held between representatives of the Personnel and Finance Divisions and General Counsel the matter pertaining to the payment of a special allowance in [REDACTED] appeared to be questionable.

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2. Attached hereto is a copy of an approval, under 6.2 of the Confidential Funds Regulation, granting a temporary lodging allowance in lieu of the [REDACTED]. It is the understanding of this office that the maximum additional compensation in the form of a differential which can presently be paid in a [REDACTED] is limited to 25% of an employee's base salary. Since the rate of the special allowance exceeds 25% of most salaries, this office desires an opinion as to whether payment of the temporary lodging based upon the attached approval is proper.

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3. In the event that the attached approval is found to be improper, this office requests an opinion as to the necessity for making adjustments of payments heretofore accomplished.

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Chief, Finance Division

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